# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1140
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Share in Cost of Manning Crossings
Vellaigounder Shri Elumalai

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Railways has asked the State Governments to share the cost of changing the unmanned railway crossings into manned railway crossings;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is also true that the Railways has received many requests from the State Governments to convert such railway crossings; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Railways in this regard?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Does not arise.

(c) & (d): Requests regarding manning of unmanned level crossings, both formal as well as informal, are received by Railways at various levels i.e. Railway Board, Zonal Railways and Divisional Headquarters etc. Receipt of such requests is a continuous process. It is the endeavour of Ministry of Railways to eliminate all unmanned level crossings in phased manned by Closure/Merger/Provision of Subways/Road Under Bridges (RUBs) or manning based on the availability of funds and consent of State Governments.
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